

House Resolution No. 3300

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has brought great commitment and steadfast dedication to the teaching profession; and

Whereas, Connie VonRuden is retiring from the Park Hill School District after thirty-six years of exceptional service; and

Whereas, during her impressive tenure, Connie VonRuden has taught in the Social Studies Department at Park Hill Junior High School, and in the Language Arts Department at Park Hill North Junior High School, Park Hill High School, and Park Hill South High School; and

Whereas, Connie VonRuden's favorite Park Hill memories are the end-of-the-year parties the staff had at Park Hill Junior High School; and

Whereas, Connie VonRuden received her Bachelor's degree from St. Mary's College and her Master's degree from Webster University; and

Whereas, it is entirely fitting and proper that this legislative body should pay tribute to Connie VonRuden, a remarkable individual and stellar educator who will be greatly missed by all those who had the distinct pleasure of knowing and working with her:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Connie VonRuden for her thirty-six years of unparalleled service to the Park Hill School District and to the education of Missouri's youngest citizens, and in wishing her the long, enjoyable retirement she so richly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Connie VonRuden.

Offered by _____
Representative Susan C. Phillips
District No. 32

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3300, adopted June 2, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker